DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

This budget provides for the County's contribution to the Colonial Services Board, a regional agency that provides overall administration and coordination of mental health, mental retardation, and substance abuse programs for Williamsburg, James City County, York County, and Poquoson. Services include psychiatric evaluation and treatment, individual and group counseling, drug and alcohol abuse treatment, vocational workshops for the developmentally disabled, and special educational and rehabilitation programs for handicapped children. Local funding is shared according to an agreed, predetermined formula. Funding for administrative expenses is based on population, while programmatic funding is based 20 percent on population and 80 percent on current utilization figures.

BUDGET SUMMARY

		FY 02		FY 03	FY 04
	_	Budget	_	Adopted	Adopted
Mental Health	\$	557,839	\$	573,761	\$ 587,344

BUDGET COMMENTS

The budget expenditures increase 2.9 percent in FY 2003. An additional \$18,282 is appropriated for the Colonial Services Board from Revenue Maximization Funding as shown as Page F-1.